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Security Council

10 a.m. . . . . Consultations of the whole (closed) . . . . . Consultations Room GA-TSC-02

Sudan

UNRCCA

Other matters

Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea

3 p.m. . . . . Informal consultations (closed) . . . . . Conference Room 7 (NLB)

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

Informal informal consultations on an outcome document of the High-level Meeting on the prevention and control of non-communicable diseases will be held *today*, 15 July 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB); and at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

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Security Council

The Security Council will hold an open debate on Wednesday, 20 July 2011, in the Security Council Chamber Room GA-TSC-01, in connection with the agenda item "Maintenance of international peace and security: The impact of climate change". The concept note for the meeting is contained in document S/2011/408.

Member States wishing to inscribe their names on the list of speakers should contact the Secretariat (tel. 1 (212) 963-5258; room TB-08083; fax 1 (212) 963-4213), from 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Delegations are also kindly requested to limit their statements to no more than *four minutes*. Delegations are reminded that the list of speakers will not be available by telephone, but only in hard copy in the Chamber, shortly before the beginning of the meeting.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

High-level Meeting on Youth
25–26 July 2011

Organizational arrangements for the High-level Meeting on Youth are described in the information note contained in the letter dated 20 June 2011, from the President of the General Assembly to permanent representatives and permanent observers. In particular, the list of speakers is now open for the formal plenary meetings to be held on Tuesday, 26 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 5 p.m. in the General Assembly Hall.

For inscription, kindly send an e-mail indicating the name and the level of the speaker to the General Assembly Affairs Branch (heddachem@un.org). Delegations are reminded that their statements should not exceed *three minutes* when speaking in the national capacity and *five minutes* when speaking on behalf of a group.

The two thematic panel discussions will be held on Monday, 25 July 2011, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in the General Assembly Hall. Background papers for each panel discussion will be provided shortly. Participation will be without a list of speakers being maintained. However, Member States are encouraged to communicate to the General Assembly Affairs Branch (e-mail heddachem@un.org) the panel discussions in which they wish to intervene.

General Assembly
Sixty-fifth session

The General Assembly will hold a plenary meeting on Wednesday, 27 July 2011, at 10 a.m., to consider agenda item 162 (Follow-up to the high-level meeting held on 24 September 2010: revitalizing the work of the Conference on Disarmament and taking forward multilateral disarmament negotiations).

General Assembly

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on the Arms Trade Treaty
Third session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 9th meeting Conference Room 1 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. 10th meeting Conference Room 1 (NLB)

Recommendations on the elements that would be needed to attain an effective and balanced legally binding instrument on the highest possible common international standards for the transfer of conventional arms [3]

Chair's informal consultations

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10 a.m.–1 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)

3–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 10 (NLB)

Executive meeting

Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women

Committee on the Elimination of Discrimination against Women
Forty-ninth session

10 a.m.–1 p.m. 984th meeting Conference Room 3 (NLB)

3–5 p.m. 985th meeting Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Consideration of reports submitted by States parties under article 18 of the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women [4]

Introduction of the combined sixth and seventh periodic reports of Ethiopia (CEDAW/C/ETH/6-7)

Working Group of the Whole

5–6 p.m. Closed meeting Conference Room 3 (NLB)

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism
Open briefing

The Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism, H.E. Mr. Hardeep Singh Puri (India), and the Executive Director of the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED), Mr. Mike Smith, will hold an informal briefing to interested Member States on recent developments in the work of the Counter-Terrorism Committee and CTED. The briefing will take place *today*, 15 July 2011, at 4 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Following the briefing, the Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate will provide a thematic presentation on "The prevention and detection of fraudulent travel and identity documents", and a regional presentation on "Central Asia".

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2011

Informal informal consultations

Informal informal consultations, convened by the facilitator, Mr. Jorge Laguna Celis (Mexico), on the draft decision on "Human settlements" (under agenda item 13 (d)), will take place *today*, 15 July 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room E (NLB).

Informal informal consultations, convened by the facilitator, Mr. Víctor Muñoz (Peru), on draft resolution E/2011/L.15, entitled "Committee of Experts on Global Geospatial Information Management", will be held *today*, 15 July 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

Other meetings

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Friday, 15 July 2011

Group of 77 (on non-communicable diseases)

10 a.m.–1 p.m. . . . . Closed meeting . . . . . Conference Room A (NLB)

Other activities

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Friday, 15 July 2011

Panel discussion on "The International Criminal Court and the protection of civilians" (in celebration of the World Day for International Justice) (organized by the Coalition for the International Criminal Court, under the auspices of the Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein)

From 10 a.m. to 12 noon in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please click here; or contact Ms. Meriam Manell Sassi, Coalition for the ICC (e-mail sassi@coalitionfortheicc.org).]

Briefing on "The humanitarian situation and response in the Horn of Africa" (by the Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs and Emergency Relief Coordinator)

From 3 to 4 p.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

[The briefing is open to members of permanent missions and permanent observer missions. For further information, please contact Ms. Cora dela Pena, OCHA (e-mail penac@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2998).]

Press conferences

The schedule below is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at <www.un.org/News/ossg/conf.htm>.

Friday, 15 July 2011

Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium

12 noon — Press briefing by the Spokesperson

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Committee on Relations with the Host Country

The 252nd meeting (closed) of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country will be held on Friday, 22 July 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB). Delegations of Member States and Observers that wish to attend as observers should indicate their desire to do so in advance to the Secretary of the Committee, Mr. Surya Sinha (e-mail sinha1@un.org; room M-13052; fax 1 (212) 963-6430). The meeting will not be open to members of the press or the public. Delegations of Member States are reminded that while any matter pertinent to the work of the Committee may be raised from the floor, they are encouraged, in accordance with the decision of the Committee adopted at its 164th meeting in March 1994, to request the formal inscription, at least 48 hours prior to the meeting, of specific items they would like to raise, keeping in mind the detailed list of topics adopted by the Committee in 1982 (see document A/50/26, par. 5). Delegations are further encouraged to submit to the Secretary of the Committee any relevant documentation or written statements in advance of the meeting.

Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities

Conference of the States Parties

Informal briefing

An informal briefing on the fourth session of the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (7-9 September 2011) will take place on Friday, 22 July 2011, from 11 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB). The briefing is organized by the Bureau-designate (Sweden (Chair-elect), Hungary, Jamaica, Sierra Leone and Thailand (Vice-Chairs elect)), in collaboration with the Department of Economic and Social Affairs, the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights and the Office of Legal Affairs. All delegations are invited to attend.

For further information, please contact Mr. Guozhong Zhang (e-mail zhangg@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4755); or visit <www.un.org/disabilities/default.asp?id=1571>.

Fourth session

The Secretary-General has the honour to inform Member States that the fourth session of the Conference of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities will take place at United Nations Headquarters from Wednesday, 7, to Friday, 9 September 2011.

The provisional agenda of the fourth session of the Conference is now available at the following address: <www.un.org/disabilities/default.asp?id=1571>. The high-level segment will take place on Wednesday, 7 September, in the morning.

States parties are kindly requested to communicate to the Secretariat the relevant information, indicating the full name and title of each member of the high-level delegation; and the accessibility requirements that delegates may have (such as wheelchair access, hearing loops, Braille documents, large print documents, CD or sign languages interpretation), to Mr. Guozhong Zhang, Secretariat of the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (e-mail zhangg@un.org; fax 1 (212) 963-3062).

A Civil Society Forum will be take place on Tuesday, 6 September, from 3 to 6 p.m. Information concerning NGO accreditation and registration is now available at the following address: <www.un.org/disabilities/default.asp?id=1577>.

Further information concerning the Conference of the States Parties will be announced at a later stage on the Web site of United Nations Enable <www.un.org/disabilities>.

Forthcoming other meetings

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Western European and Other States Group: Open-ended Working Group on a possible WEOG rotation scheme for the Security Council (convened by the Permanent Missions of the Netherlands and San Marino)

Tuesday, 19 July 2011, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Eastern European Group (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 20 July 2011, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 6 (NLB).

International Criminal Court: New York Working Group of the Assembly of States Parties (briefing by the Coordinator of the Search Committee for the Position of ICC Prosecutor) (at the ambassadorial level)

Wednesday, 20 July 2011, from 3 to 4.30 p.m. in Conference Room 5 (NLB).

Asian Group: Open-ended Working Group

Friday, 22 July 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 4 (NLB).

Asian Group (monthly meeting)

Monday, 25 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room 2 (NLB).

Forthcoming other activities

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Special events on the occasion of Nelson Mandela International Day (18 July) (organized by the Department of Public Information, in cooperation with the Permanent Mission of South Africa)

Student conference

Monday, 18 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., at the Permanent Mission of South Africa (333 East 38th Street).

Interactive exhibit "Take Action! Inspire Change"

Until Thursday, 28 July 2011, in the Visitors' Lobby.

[All are invited to attend. Please click here for more details on the special events. For further information, please contact Ms. Renata Sivacolundhu, DPI (e-mail sivacolundhu@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-2932).]

UNITAR Seminar on International Trade Law and Policy

Monday, 18 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1.15 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB);

Tuesday, 19 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB);

Wednesday, 20 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB);

Thursday, 21 July 2011, from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB); and

Friday, 22 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room D (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration, please visit <www.unitar.org/ny>. For further information, please contact Ms. Mitali Gupta, UNITAR (e-mail mitali.gupta@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Expert Group Meeting on Adolescents, Youth and Development (organized by the Population Division, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 21, and *Friday, 22 July 2011*, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 7 (NLB).

[Members of permanent missions and United Nations staff are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Jorge Bravo, Population and Development Section (e-mail bravo1@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2323); or Ms. Donna Culpepper (e-mail culpepper@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2507). Please click here for more details on the Expert Group Meeting.]

Panel discussion on "Youth as strategic agents for development" (on the occasion of the High-level Meeting on Youth) (organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA))

Tuesday, 26 July 2011, from 1.15 to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For further registration and information, please contact UNFPA (e-mail mahalik@unfpa.org; tel. 1 (212) 297-5305).]

UNITAR Workshop on "Women in diplomacy" (co-organized by the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and the Olof Palme Memorial Fund)

Thursday, 25 August 2011, from 9.30 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 2.30 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB); and

Friday, 26 August 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. and from 3 to 6 p.m. in Conference Room 1 (NLB).

[For further information, please contact Ms. Hélène Gandois, UNITAR (e-mail gandoish@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-9684).]

UNDEF/UNITAR Seminar on the Interdependence between Democracy and Development

Thursday, 1 September 2011, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. in Conference Room B (NLB).

[All are invited to attend. For registration, please visit the following site: <www.unitar.org/ny/DemocracyandDevelopment>. For further information, please contact Mr. Olivier Portoff, UNITAR (e-mail olivier.portoff@unitar.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3021).]

Forthcoming official meetings held away from Headquarters

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2011
United Nations Office at Geneva
(4–29 July 2011)

Lists of speakers

The lists of speakers for all segments are indicated below. If no specific reference is made to a list of speakers, it implies that no such list is being maintained. The lists are open for inscription. The deadlines for inscription are indicated in the relevant paragraphs below. Requests for inscription on the lists of speakers should be sent, *in writing*, indicating the full name and title of the speaker, to the secretariat of the Council (Ms. Lorna Fidler (e-mail fidler@un.org)). In order to accommodate all requests for inscription, statements during the general debate of the high-level segment and during all other segments will be limited to five minutes, with the understanding that the full texts of the statements can be circulated in the meeting room.

Operational activities segment (14 July (afternoon)–19 July (morning))

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of item 3. The list will close by 5 p.m. on the day before the general discussion of the item. A detailed programme for the segment is available on the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/pdf11/11_oa-hls_programme.pdf>.

Informal event to discuss the transition from relief to development (19 July (morning))

Panel discussion on the topic "The role of the United Nations and the international community in supporting the capacity of the Government of South Sudan to manage the transition"

There will be no established list of speakers.

Humanitarian affairs segment (19 July (afternoon)–21 July)

A list of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of item 5. The list will close by 5 p.m. on the day before the general discussion of the item. A detailed programme of the segment will be posted on the Web site of the Council shortly.

General segment (22–28 July)

Lists of speakers will be maintained for the general discussion of each item under the general segment. The lists will close by 5 p.m. on the day before the consideration of the item. A detailed programme of the segment is available on the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/julyhls/pdf11/11_gs-hls_programme.pdf>.

Conclusion of work (29 July)

The Council will conclude its work of its substantive session of 2011 on Friday, 29 July.

Registration and accreditation

Information regarding registration and accreditation for the 2011 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council is available on the Web site of the Council <www.un.org/en/ecosoc/substantive2011/docs/2011_registration_&_accreditation.pdf>.

List of participants

Delegations should send, *in writing*, on the official letterhead, the names and titles of the members of their delegations (please indicate clearly the head and alternate head of delegation) as they would like them to appear in the official list of participants. Please send this composition of delegation to the secretariat of the Council by e-mail (Ms. Mary Constable (e-mail constablem@un.org)), as soon as possible, *but no later than 25 July 2011*. The list of participants will be issued as part of the official documents of the session.

Statements

In order to facilitate interpretation, delegations are kindly requested to provide 40 copies of their statements to the Conference Officers. Delegations wishing to have the full text of statements circulated in the meeting should provide 250 copies of the same to the Conference Officers.

Press releases

The daily press releases issued during the 2011 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council are available on the Web site of the United Nations Office at Geneva. To access the list, please click here.

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates an staff of permanent missions in Room DC 2-1142, as indicated below. All interested a kindly requested to register by e-mail (librarytraining@un.org) or telephone (1 (212 963-5321).

Introduction to United Nations documentation

In French:
Wednesday, 20 July 2011, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

In English:
Wednesday, 27 July 2001, from 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

General Assembly

Seating protocol for the sixty-sixth session

On Wednesday, 22 June 2011, the Secretary-General drew from among the Member States the name of Turkmenistan to occupy the first seat in the General Assembly H at the sixty-sixth session. Consequently, the delegation of Turkmenistan will sit at th first desk at the right of the President, and the other countries will follow in the Eng alphabetical order. The same order will be observed in the Main Committees.

Tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary and related meetings

The tentative schedule of General Assembly plenary and related meetings may now accessed on the Web site of the General Assembly at the following address: <www.un.org/en/ga/info/meetings>.

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

Communications addressed to the President of the Security Council should be delivered to the Offices of the Security Council Secretariat Branch (room 08083, 730 Third Avenue (between 45th and 46th Streets); tel. 1 (212) 963-5258).

Web site of the presidency

The Web site of the presidency of the Security Council can be visited at <www.un.org/sc/presidency.asp>.

Recorded information

Recorded information about previously unscheduled meetings and consultations of the whole of the Security Council may be obtained by calling 1 (212) 963-8530, or by clicking on "Daily Programme" on the Web site of the Security Council <www.un.org/Docs/sc>.

Prepared statements

Speakers in the Security Council are advised that providing in advance copies of prepared statements which they intend to read out in the Council greatly facilitates the work of the Secretariat by permitting a sufficient number of copies to be distributed to all meeting participants and by assisting interpreters, verbatim reporters and press officers in maintaining the quality of the product delivered. Both interpretations and verbatim records rely upon the statement actually delivered, but copies of texts help interpreters to correctly render details and nuances and help verbatim reporters to produce the written record more quickly. Speakers are therefore encouraged, whenever possible, to provide copies of their statements, as early as possible in advance of delivery, to the Conference Officer in the Chamber.

Delegations are kindly requested to make 40 copies for minimum distribution to Council members and relevant services, and 200 additional copies for general distribution in the Security Council Chamber.

Delegations wishing to make statements available for the media are kindly requested to deliver 50 copies to the Media Documents Centre (e-mail mdc@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-7166; room SA-1B12).

Access to back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*

Back issues of the *Journal of the United Nations*, in English and French, can be accessed at the following addresses: <www.un.org/en/documents/journal.asp> and <www.un.org/fr/documents/journal.asp>.

All comments and suggestions about the *Journal* are welcomed. Kindly contact the office of the *Journal* at journal@un.org.

Summary of official meetings

Thursday, 14 July 2011

General Assembly

Sixty-fifth session

108th plenary meeting

Admission of new Members to the United Nations [114]

(a) Application for admission (A/65/900)

(b) Letter from the President of the Security Council (A/65/905)

(c) Draft resolution (A/65/L.84)

H.E. Mr. Jeffrey Radebe, Minister of Justice and Constitutional Development of South Africa, made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/65/L.84.

The General Assembly decided to accept the recommendation of the Security Council and adopted, by acclamation, draft resolution A/65/L.84 (resolution 65/308).

The President made a statement.

The Secretary-General made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Rwanda (on behalf of the African States), Kyrgyzstan (on behalf of the Asian States), Estonia (on behalf of the Eastern European States), Brazil (on behalf of the Latin American and Caribbean States), Luxembourg (on behalf of the Western European and other States), the United States (as host country) and the Sudan.

H.E. Mr. Riek Machar Teny, Vice-President of the Republic of South Sudan, made a statement.

General Assembly

Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Conference on the Arms Trade Treaty

Third session

7th meeting

Recommendations on the elements that would be needed to attain an effective and balanced legally binding instrument on the highest possible common international standards for the transfer of conventional arms [3]

The Chair made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives Canada, Algeria, Egypt, Mexico, Senegal and the Republic of Korea.

The Chair suspended the meeting.

At the resumption of the meeting, statements were made by the representatives of Sweden, Japan, Indonesia, Uruguay, the United Republic of Tanzania, India, South Africa, Ecuador, Nigeria, Mexico, the United States, Pakistan, Argentina, Ghana and the United Kingdom.

8th meeting

Recommendations on the elements that would be needed to attain an effective and balanced legally binding instrument on the highest possible common international standards for the transfer of conventional arms [3]

Statements were made by the representatives of Egypt, Guatemala, Peru, Norway, Brazil, Nigeria, Trinidad and Tobago, New Zealand, Malawi, Saudi Arabia and Algeria.

The Chair made a statement.

Ad Hoc Committee on the Indian Ocean
2011 session

454th meeting

Opening of the session [1]

The Secretary of the United Nations Disarmament Commission, made an opening statement.

Election of the Chair [2]

The Committee elected, by acclamation, H.E. Mr. Palitha T. B. Kohona (Sri Lanka) to replace H.E. Mr. H. M. G. S. Palihakkara (Sri Lanka) as Chair of the Committee.

The newly elected Chair subsequently presided over the meeting.

Adoption of the agenda [3]

The Committee adopted its provisional agenda, as contained in document A/AC.159/L.141.

Report of the Chair of the Committee pursuant to paragraph 3 of General Assembly Resolution 64/23 [4]

The Chair made a statement, reporting to the Committee on his consultations.

Statements were made by the representatives of Indonesia and China.

Adoption of the report of the Committee to the General Assembly at its sixty-sixth session [5]

The Rapporteur introduced the draft report to the Committee, as contained in document A/AC.159/L.142.

The Committee adopted the draft report.

Other matters [6]

The Chair made a statement.

No other matters were raised.

The Committee thus concluded its work for the current session.

Summary of official meetings held away from Headquarters

Thursday, 14 July 2011

General Assembly

International Law Commission
Sixty-third session
United Nations Office at Geneva

3105th meeting

Protection of persons in the event of disasters [7]

The Commission continued its consideration of the Special Rapporteur's fourth report on the topic (A/CN.4/643 and A/CN.4/643/Corr.1).

Programme, procedures, working methods of the commission and its documentation

The Chair of the Drafting Committee announced the following composition of the Drafting Committee on Protection of persons in the event of disasters: *Chair*: Mr. Teodor Viorel Melescanu; *Special Rapporteur*: Mr. Eduardo Valencia-Ospina; *Members*: Mr. Christopher John Robert Dugard, Mr. Mahmoud D. Hmoud, Ms. Marie G. Jacobsson, Mr. Donald M. McRae, Mr. Shinya Murase, Mr. Georg Nolte, Mr. Ernest Petric, Mr. Gilberto Vergne Saboia, Mr. Narinder Singh, Mr. Edmundo Vargas Carreño, Mr. Stephen C. Vasciannie, Mr. Marcelo Vázquez-Bermúdez, Mr. Nugroho Wisnumurti, Mr. Michael Wood and Mr. A. Rohan Perera (*ex officio*).

Economic and Social Council

Substantive session of 2011
United Nations Office at Geneva

Coordination segment

29th meeting

The role of the United Nations system in implementing the ministerial declaration of the high-level segment of the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council [4]

Coordination, programme and other questions [7]

(a) Reports of coordination bodies

(c) Mainstreaming a gender perspective into all policies and programmes in the United Nations system

The Council continued its consideration of the items.

General discussion

The Council began its general discussion of the items and heard statements by the representatives of Argentina (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the Russian Federation, Peru, Mexico, the United States, Slovakia, Japan, Argentina, India, Zambia, Ukraine, the Philippines, Norway and Morocco, as well as by the observers for Poland (on behalf of the European Union; the candidate countries Croatia, The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro and Iceland; the countries of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidates Albania, Bosnia and Herzegovina and Serbia; and the members of the European Economic Area; as well as the Republic of Moldova, Armenia, Azerbaijan and Georgia), Croatia, Honduras, Indonesia and Belarus.

The Council thus concluded its general discussion of the items.

The role of the United Nations system in implementing the ministerial declaration of the high-level segment of the 2010 substantive session of the Economic and Social Council [4]

Action on draft resolution E/2011/L.29

The Council had before it a draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Abulkalam Abdul Momen (Bangladesh), on the basis of informal consultations.

The Council was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Council adopted the draft resolution and concluded its consideration of agenda item 4.

Coordination, programme and other questions [7]

(e) Mainstreaming a gender perspective into all policies and programmes in the United Nations system

Action on draft resolution E/2011/L.30

The Council had before it a draft resolution submitted by the Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Abulkalam Abdul Momen (Bangladesh), on the basis of informal consultations.

The Council was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The Council adopted the draft resolution.

Organization of work

A statement was made by the Vice-President (Bangladesh).

Suspension of the coordination segment

The Vice-President (Bangladesh) made a statement and suspended the coordination segment.

Operational activities segment

30th meeting

Opening of the segment

The Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Gonzalo Gutiérrez Reinel (Peru), opened the operational activities segment and made a statement on the topic "Maintaining the momentum in furthering system-wide coherence of the United Nations development system".

Operational activities of the United Nations for international development cooperation [3]

(a) Follow-up to policy recommendations of the General Assembly and the Council

The Council began its consideration of the item as a whole.

The Assistant Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Inter-Agency Affairs, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, made a statement on "The need for fresh thinking on operational activities for development of the United Nations system", in the course of which he introduced the reports of the Secretary-General.

Panel discussion on "2012 quadrennial comprehensive policy review of the General Assembly — What are the expectations: issues, process and outcome?"

The Chair, Vice-President of the Council, H.E. Mr. Gonzalo Gutiérrez Reinel (Peru), made a statement.

The Moderator of the panel discussion, Ms. Jane Stewart, International Labour Organization Special Representative to the United Nations and Director, International Labour Organization Office in New York, made a statement.

Presentations were made by the following panellists: Dr. Edward Sambili, Permanent Secretary, Ministry of State for Planning, National Development and Vision 2030, Kenya; H.E. Mr. Thomas Gass, Ambassador of Switzerland to Nepal and Facilitator of the 2007 triennial comprehensive policy review of the General Assembly; and Ms. Susan McDade, United Nations Resident Coordinator and United Nations Development Programme Resident Representative, Uruguay.

Comments were made and questions were raised by the representatives of Peru, Bangladesh, Cameroon, Pakistan, Spain, Germany, the Russian Federation and Norway, as well as by the observers for Brazil, Uruguay and Nepal.

The representative of the United Nations Development Programme made comments and posed questions.

Questions were posed and comments were made by the representatives of the Food and Agricultural Organization of the United Nations and the World Health Organization.

Questions were also posed by the Director of the Office of ECOSOC Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs.

The panellists responded to the comments made and questions raised.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

United Nations Convention against Transnational Organized Crime. New York, 15 November 2000

Accession: Bangladesh (13 July 2011)[1]

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